MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT OF WILDLIFE, FISHERIES & PARKS P. O. BOX 451 JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI 39205

PUBLIC NOTICE OF INTENT NUMBER W11-3433(I)

TO: The Honorable Eric Clark
Secretary of State
Post Office Box 136
Jackson, MS 39205
AND

ALL INTERESTED PERSONS

The Mississippi Commission on Wildlife, Fisheries and Parks, at a meeting in Utica, Mississippi on April 11, 2006, under authority of Section 25-43-7, Mississippi Code of 1972, made known its intent to adopt the following 2006-2007 Small Game Hunting and Trapping Seasons and Bag Limits. This was done under authority of Sections 49-5-13 and 49-7-31, Mississippi Code of 1972.

Be it ordered that Public Notice Number W10-3433 is hereby amended as follows:

FROG:

April 1, 2007 - September 30, 2007

BAG LIMIT: 25 POSSESSION LIMIT: 50

Only 25 may be taken in any one night. A valid hunting or fishing license is required.

RACCOON:

July 1, 2006 - September 30, 2006

BAG LIMIT: 1 per party per night

OPOSSUM, RACCOON, AND BOBCAT:

October 1, 2006 - October 31, 2006 (sport hunting with dogs and guns for food & sport)

BAG LIMIT: 5 per day; 8 per party POSSESSION LIMIT: 10

November 1, 2006 - February 28, 2007 (sport hunting with dogs and guns for food, sport, and pelt)

BAG LIMIT: No limit

SQUIRREL:

Zone 1: Areas north of Hwy. 82 plus those portions of Sunflower County and Washington County south of Hwy. 82.

September 30, 2006 - February 28, 2007

BAG LIMIT: 8 per day POSSESSION LIMIT: 16

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Zone 2: Areas between Hwy. 82 and Hwy. 84 plus portions of the state south of Hwy. 84 and west of I-55.

October 14, 2006 - February 28, 2007

BAG LIMIT: 8 per day

POSSESSION LIMIT: 16

Zone 3: Areas south of Hwy. 84 and east of I-55.

October 28, 2006 - February 28, 2007

BAG LIMIT: 8 per day

POSSESSION LIMIT: 16

Youth Squirrel Hunts** (Private Lands Only)

Zone 1 - September 23 - September 29, 2006

BAG LIMIT: 8 per day

Zone 2 - October 7 - October 13, 2006

BAG LIMIT: 8 per day

Zone 3 - October 21 - October 27, 2006

BAG LIMIT: 8 per day

** Youth eligible to participate in this special hunt are those 15 years of age and younger. Each youth must be in the immediate vicinity and under the direct supervision of an adult 21 years of age or older. Furthermore, if the child is under the age of twelve (12), the supervising adult must be a licensed or exempt hunter.

BOBWHITE QUAIL:

November 23, 2006 - March 3, 2007

BAG LIMIT: 8 per day

POSSESSION LIMIT: 16

RABBIT:

October 14, 2006 - February 28, 2007

BAG LIMIT: 8 per day

POSSESSION LIMIT: 16

TRAPPING SEASON:

November 1, 2006 - February 28, 2007

BAG LIMIT: No Limit

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Anyone wishing to comment on the above proposed action may do so in writing to the Executive Director, Mississippi Department of Wildlife, Fisheries and Parks, P. O. Box 451, Jackson, MS 39205, no later than May 11, 2006.

MISSISSIPPI COMMISSION ON WILDLIFE, FISHERIES & PARKS

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Sam Polles, Ph.D., Executive Director